Docket No.: 20002/0200803-US0

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In re Patent Application of:

Yossi Corem et al.

Application No.: 10/760,107

Filed: January 16, 2004

For: FIBER OPTICAL GAIN EQUALIZER

Confirmation No.: 7396

Art Unit: N/A

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

## RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application – Filing Date Granted mailed April 23, 2004, Applicant respectfully submits a Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney, the Filing Fee for the Application (as shown on accompanying Fee Transmittal), Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 CFR 1.136(a) and Part 2 Copy of Notice.

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Our check in the amount of \$1,976.00 covering the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) and the filing fee for the subject application is enclosed. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiency of up to \$300.00 or credit any excess in this fee to Deposit Account No. 04-0100.

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Dated: September 23, 2004

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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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01 FC:1001 02 FC:1051 03 FC:1202 770.00 OP 130.00 OP 126.00 OP FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

#### **Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:**

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
   Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is missing.

  A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

• Additional claim fees of \$126 as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

#### **SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$1026 for a Large Entity

- \$770 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$126
  - \$126 for 7 total claims over 20.

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Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (2 pages); Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 CFR 1.136(a) (1 page); Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney (4 pages)

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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT

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METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)	FEE CALCULATION (continued)							
Credit Money								
X Check Card Order Other None	3. ADDITIONAL FEES							
Deposit Account:								
Deposit	Large Entity Small Entity							
Account 04-0100		Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid		
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Deposit Account Darby & Darby P.C.		130	2051	65	Surcharge – late filing fee or oath	130.00		
Name The Director is authorized to: (check all that apply)	1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge – late provisional filing fee or cover sheet.			
	1052	420	1053	420				
Charge fee(s) indicated below X Credit any overpayments	1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification			
Charge any additional fee(s) or any underpayment of fee(s)	1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination			
Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filling fee	1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action			
to the above-identified deposit account.	1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action			
FEE CALCULATION	1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month			
1. BASIC FILING FEE	1252	420	2252	210	Extension for reply within second month			
Large Entity Small Entity	1253	950	2253	475	Extension for reply within third month	950.00		
Fee Fee Fee Fee Fee Fee Paid Code (\$) Code (\$)	1254	1,480	2254	740	Extension for reply within fourth month			
1001 770 2001 385 Utility filing fee 770.00	1255	2,010	2255	1,005	Extension for reply within fifth month			
1002 340 2002 170 Design filing fee	1401	330	2401	165	Notice of Appeal			
1003 530 2003 265 Plant filing fee	1402	330	2402	165	Filing a brief in support of an appeal			
1004 770 2004 385 Reissue filing fee	1403	290	2403	145	Request for oral hearing			
1005 160 2005 80 Provisional filing fee	1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding			
SUBTOTAL (1) (\$) 770.00		110	2452	55	Petition to revive – unavoidable			
		1,330	2453	665	Petition to revive - unintentional			
2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE		1,330	2501	665	Utility issue fee (or reissue)			
Extra Fee from Claims below Fee Paid	1502	480	2502	240	Design issue fee			
Total Claims 27 -20** = 7 x 18.00 = 126.00	1503	640	2503	320	Plant issue fee			
Independent 3 -3** = x = 0.00	1460	130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner			
Claims	1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)			
Large Entity Small Entity	1806	180	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt			
Fee Fee Fee Code (\$) Fee Description	8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)			
1202 18 2202 9 Claims in excess of 20	1809	770	2809	385	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))			
1201 86 2201 43 Independent claims in excess of 3	1010	770	2810	385	For each additional invention to be	$\vdash$		
1203 290 2203 145 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	1810				examined (37CFR 1.129(b))	<u> </u>		
1204 86 2204 43 ** Reissue independent claims over original patent	1801	770	2801	385	Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Request for expedited examination	$\vdash$		
1205 18 2205 9 ** Reissue claims in excess of 20	1802	900	1802	900	of a design application			
and over original patent	Other fee (specify)							
SUBTOTAL (2) (\$) 126.00	*Redu	ced by I	Basic Fi	ing Fee	Paid SUBTOTAL (3) (\$)	1,080.00		
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